

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Birnbrich et al.
Appl. No. : 09/782,366
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Examiner : L. Salvatore

Docket No. : C 2220 US

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION PER 37 C.F.R. §1.3

I hereby certify that this matter is being transmitted by facsimile transmission to the addressee on the date shown below.

March 5, 2003
Date

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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Examiner's Action dated February 11, 2003, be extended to March 17, 2003.

Please charge our Deposit Account 50-1177 with the fee for the 1 month extension fee; this request is submitted in duplicate. Office fee \$150.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1177.

Responsive action has been taken by filing a Response to Restriction Requirement simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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